

# THE BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH

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Price Two Cents

## PONTIFICAL PEACE APPEAL SIXTEEN DEAD HOUSTON RIOT

### COUNTRY FAIR FOR BENEFIT RED CROSS

To be Held at the Cornelison Farm  
One Mile West of Deerwood on  
Tuesday, August 28th

Side Shows, Country Store, Hawaiian Singers,  
Perambulating Parade for Baby  
Contestants, Etc

Something new and Brooklyn had  
better look to its laurels!

It's to be a perambulating parade  
for baby contestants at the Corneli-  
son farm a mile west of Deerwood on  
the Crosby road, and one of the big  
attractions at the country fair to be  
given for the benefit of the Red Cross  
on Tuesday afternoon and evening,  
August 28. The baby buggy fleet  
parades at 4 in the afternoon. Bring  
the babies.

The country fair will be working  
full blast from 3 in the afternoon to  
10 in the evening. Many Brainerd  
people will attend.

There will be good music, Hawai-  
ian singers, ukulele solos, an orches-  
tra, side shows, country store, shoot-  
ing gallery, cafeteria supper, a barge  
dance in the evening, something doing  
every minute.

If it rains come Wednesday.

It is very appropriate that this  
country fair is to be held at the Corneli-  
son home. The Misses Corneli-  
son one summer were the only repre-  
sentation Crow Wing county had at  
the state fair and they secured  
prizes at the Crow Wing county fair  
and at the state fair.

Mr. Cornelison is a representative of  
the National Grain Dealers associa-  
tion, has been in the grain business  
in Peoria, Illinois, many years and  
only recently was called to Washing-  
ton to attend a meeting of the food  
conservation board of which Herbert  
S. Hoover is chairman.

Deerwood in the past has attended  
all the big doings in Brainerd and it  
is incumbent for the people of Brainerd  
to make up their minds to take  
out their cars next Tuesday, fill up  
every seat and race for the Cornelison  
farm and attend the country fair. If  
you can't get away in the afternoon,  
drive out in the evening. The roads  
are the best they ever were in the  
history of the county. Let's go.

### RUSSIAN INTERNAL SITUATION DELICATE

Washington, Aug. 24.—Russia's crit-  
ical internal situation, aggravated by  
the new German drive against Riga,  
threatening the capital, is watched by  
officials here with grave concern. It  
became known that official advices  
are closely in accord with press dis-  
patches describing grave political con-  
ditions.

The outcome of the forthcoming ex-  
traordinary national council to be held  
at Moscow, is awaited here with inter-  
est scarcely less keen than in Russia  
itself. The immediate fate of Russia,  
it is felt, depends upon it.

Out of the great gathering, in which  
the conservative elements of all sorts  
are expected to unite in an effort to  
compel the provisional government to  
throw off the socialistic control of the  
soldiers and workmen's council, one  
of two results is expected.

The formation of a strong central-  
ized government capable of rapidly re-  
organizing the army and assuming the  
offensive against the central powers,  
or open civil strife.

It appears that little can be done  
by outside influence, even that of the  
American government, to help immedi-  
ately in the crisis. The problem was  
discussed at a conference by Secre-  
taries Lansing, McAdoo and Baker.

### Canadian Troops Continue Fight Outskirts Lens

(By United Press)

London, August 24.—An official  
statement says that sanguinary fight-  
ing of the Canadian troops in the out-  
skirts of Lens pressed further in the  
French coal city. South of Lens as a  
result of a fierce fight the German  
trenches are held northwest of Green  
Crassier, the enemy losses being  
heavy. Green Crassier is a huge  
heap of slag in the midst of the rail-  
way yards a few blocks from the  
main railway station city itself.

### French Troops Advance Mile Resume Fighting

(By United Press)

Paris, August 24.—An official  
statement says that the French troops  
advanced more than a mile between  
Avoncourt Wood and Deadman's hill  
and resumed the fighting at the great  
Verdun offensive.

### Russia Will Fight and Not Collapse United States Help

(By United Press)

Washington, August 24.—Russia  
will fight on and will not collapse is  
the general official view in granting  
the loan. The ships and supplies  
sent to her by the United States will  
have the probable effect of composing  
the difficulties, is the forecast of re-  
cent confidential advices from Am-  
bassador Francis.

### Crew of Devonian and 65 Americans Said to be Saved

(By United Press)

Washington, August 24.—The crew  
of the torpedoed Leyland liner Dev-  
onian, including 65 Americans, were  
saved according to the announce-  
ment of the state department.

### U. S. Extends Further Credit to Russia

(By United Press)

Washington, August 24.—The gov-  
ernment has extended a further cred-  
it of \$100,000,000 to Russia.

Will Double Shell Supply.

Washington, Aug. 24.—As a result  
of the official report on the submarine  
destruction of the American tank  
steamer Campana, which said the gun  
crew's supply of shells ran out in the  
midst of the fight, the amount of am-  
munition supplied armed merchant  
ships will be doubled. The Campana  
had 180 shells.

### First Two Points in Pontifical Appeal for Peace

By JOHN H. HEARLEY  
(Copyright 1917 by United Press)

Rome, Aug. 24.—The United Press  
is authorized by the papal secretary  
to make the following first two points  
in the pontifical appeal for peace:

Treating disarmament and freedom  
of the seas as suggested by President  
Wilson in his well known message to  
the senate, and consequently the in-  
clination is to believe that they will  
now find on the part of the Ameri-  
can people the same reception as it  
enjoyed when President Wilson pro-  
claimed them.

The third and fourth points where  
mutual condonation of war expenses  
and damages as well as mutual re-  
striction in occupied territories; as  
proposed from public speeches recent-  
ly delivered by statesmen in differ-  
ent belligerent nations, which state-  
ments cannot well be refused now  
without contradicting themselves, it  
being necessary to remark as to the  
condonation of damages excepting as  
to applying to Belgium.

The fifth and sixth points concern  
special questions which the Holy  
Father does not and could not pro-  
pose a definite solution of.

The Holy Father emphasizes that  
the appeal was not suggested by any  
belligerent, and he said nothing  
about democracy or democratization,  
or existing government, as history  
teaches that government imposed by  
arms cannot live, although respect  
for the free will of the people allows  
them to choose the form of govern-  
ment they please.

### Ships to Beat the Submarine \$2,000,000,000

(By United Press)

Washington, August 24.—Nearly  
\$2,000,000,000 dollars will be spent  
for 1,272 ships according to the  
United States shipping board pro-  
gram to beat the submarine, it is  
officially announced.

SAMUEL G. IVERSON.

Former Minnesota Auditor  
First Lieutenant in Army.



Samuel G. Iverson, former Minne-  
sota state auditor, has been commis-  
sioned a first lieutenant and assigned  
to statistical work at Fort Snelling.  
Lieutenant Iverson reported to Gen-  
eral Sage under orders from the ad-  
jutant general at Washington.

### Amplification of Peace Appeal Read to Cabinet

(By United Press)

Washington, August 24.—Pope  
Benedict's amplification of his peace  
appeal will be read at the meeting  
to President Wilson and his cabinet.  
Copies of the statement furnished by  
the United Press to President Wilson  
and Secretary Lansing immediately  
revived the peace discussion. The  
president's friends declare he does  
not believe the time is ripe for this  
action.

### Negro Soldiers Riot at Houston Number Killed

(By United Press)

Houston, Texas, Aug. 24.—The Illi-  
nois National Guardsmen and 300  
citizens armed as a civil patrol held  
the city under martial law following  
rioting by negro soldiers of the 24th  
U. S. infantry, a dozen whites and a  
number of blacks being killed. 30  
negro soldiers are reported to have  
left Houston for Dallas and the po-  
lice of that city have been notified to  
place them under arrest. The regu-  
lar soldiers at Galveston have been  
ordered to help patrol the city.

Negro Regulars

Engaged in Riot  
Will be Removed

Washington, August 24.—The ne-  
gro regulars engaged in last night's  
riots at Houston will be removed at  
once according to Secretary Baker's  
report and after seeing Senator  
Sheppard of Texas he will recommend  
this action to the war department.  
No more negro troops will be sent to  
the Lone Star state.

### Sixteen Dead Eighteen Wounded in Houston Riot

Houston, August 24.—Sixteen are  
known to be dead and eighteen were  
wounded in the Houston riot last  
night. The Illinois National Guard  
rounded up more than 100 negroes  
and 50 are still at large.

### Coal Famine in the Northwest Coming Winter

(By United Press)

Cleveland, August 24.—Unless the  
government immediately command-  
eers the bituminous coal at the  
mines for shipment to the Great  
Lakes ports the northwest will ex-  
perience a serious coal famine this  
winter is the statement made by a  
high coal official.

### Tied to a Chair He Swims Five Miles



Henry Ellonsky, a long distance  
and endurance swimmer of the Bright-  
on Beach baths, who is known all  
over the world, made a remarkable  
swim in New York Harbor, when,  
tied to a chair, he made his way  
from Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, to the  
Battery, in Manhattan. The upper  
picture shows him being thrown into  
the water, and the lower was taken  
while he was swimming head down.  
Experts declare the feat shows re-  
markable endurance.

### ARGUMENTS IN ELDER CASE IN AFTERNOON

Defense Closes its Testimony This  
Morning, Judge McClenahan Limits  
Addressess to Jury

Two Hours to State and Two Hours to De-  
fense. Asst. Atty. Gen. Palmer Presented,  
State's Side

In the Elder case the defense of-  
fered in evidence an opinion rendered  
by the attorney general's office writ-  
ten in 1914 by John C. Nethaway,  
assistant attorney general, on the  
payment of commissions on the sale  
of bonds to a fiscal agent.

Attorney General Smith was per-  
sonally excused from attending court  
at Brainerd on account of engage-  
ments, but he sent the original opin-  
ion and the same put in evidence by  
stipulation and read to the jury.

The opinion advised the county at-  
torney of Beltrami county that if  
the commission was reasonable and  
given in good faith there was no  
legal objection to making such pay-  
ments to a fiscal agent.

George A. Elder was on the stand  
all day. Elder's testimony with re-  
ference to the phonograph about  
which considerable rumors have been  
floating around, was that prior to his  
offer of same to County Treasurer  
Fogarty, he (Elder) had been advised  
that he was winner of a second hand  
phonograph on a raffle in Minneapo-  
lis, that he had never seen it, did  
not know anything of its value and  
that he sent or gave the name of  
Fogarty to a Mr. Parsons, an archi-  
tect in Minneapolis, from whom he  
had bought the raffle ticket, advis-  
ing him to ship the same to Fogarty.

Elder admitted on the stand offer-  
ing \$50 to Fogarty, and said the of-  
fer was made for the express pur-  
pose of paying Fogarty what he be-  
lieved he justly owed him for ex-  
penses incurred and service rendered  
prior thereto in furnishing certifi-  
cates needed by Elder in another  
transaction, and with no intention  
of influencing his official action in  
any respect and the phonograph was  
offered and shipped in the same spir-  
it and for the same purpose.

The cross-examination did not  
bring out much new matter, al-  
though very searching made by  
Assistant Attorney General John E.  
Palmer.

A new venire of twenty-five jurors  
was called for duty today and excused  
to Monday. It is now understood  
that a civil action is to follow against  
Elder and J. A. Duffy and their re-  
spective corporations, ex-County Au-  
ditor Slocum and former Chairman  
of the board of county commissioners,  
R. S. McDonald, now of Grand Prairie  
Alberta. McDonald has been served,  
accepted service and is represented by  
W. V. Kane of International Falls.

This civil action is for over \$50,-  
000, covering commissions and in-  
terest on \$765,000 bonds, brought by  
the county of Koochiching for whom  
N. B. Arnold of Duluth appears as  
special attorney.

It is now expected to finish the  
present case by Friday.

The defense in the George A. Elder  
case closed this morning after cross-  
examination of Elder and the state  
put on in rebuttal L. H. Slocum, for-  
mer county auditor and P. H. Fogar-  
ty, present county treasurer.

The testimony of Elder Friday  
morning referred particularly to the  
identification of the telegram sent by  
him to Slocum just before the closing  
of the last bond transaction of \$765,-  
000 where Elder asked Slocum to as-  
sist him in the matter of settlement.

There was also testimony offered  
by the state in the cross-examination  
of Elder showing Elder had tried to  
get contractors on judicial ditches  
covered by bonds to pay a percent-  
age between 1 1/2 and 3 per cent of  
their contracts to assist in carrying  
out the final sale of the bonds.

No such arrangement was consum-  
mated however and Elder testified he  
made this request of the contractors  
at the request of John Nuveen & Co.,  
Chicago bankers, and he did not  
think it was a fair proposition then  
and did it unwillingly and did not  
expect he was able to get the con-  
tractors to agree to it and only did  
it as Nuveen & Co. requested it, and  
although if he was successful he was  
to share with Nuveen in the amount  
received from the contractors.

On cross-examination of County  
Treasurer Fogarty by the defense he  
repeated his former opinion that he  
believed then as now that the offers  
made by Elder were not made with  
the intention of influencing him as  
alleged in the indictment and it also  
came out that this bribery charge  
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### Texas Governor Near Suspension House Considers

(By United Press)

Austin, Texas, August 24.—Govern-  
or Ferguson is near a suspension  
from office, the house having taken  
up the matter of adopting articles of  
impeachment.

### Will Double Tax on Corporations

Washington, August 24.—The sen-  
ate tentatively has agreed to double  
the two per cent normal tax on cor-  
porations.

### Third Minnesota Ordered go South Camp Cody Monday

(By United Press)

St. Paul, August 24.—The third  
Minnesota Infantry have received or-  
ders to start south to Deming, N. M.,  
and Camp Cody, on Monday.

### Germans Destroy 21 British Tanks

Berlin, August 24.—21 British  
tanks were destroyed by the Ger-  
mans on Wednesday when the former  
vainly sought to advance south of  
Ypres on the Menin road.



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**THE WEATHER****Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:**

Cool, occasional showers probable. Co-operative observer's record, 6 P. M.—  
August 23, maximum 74, minimum 47. Rainfall trace.  
August 24, minimum for night, 39.

**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

News of Parties, Visitors, Visits, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Both phones, Northwest 74.

Floyd Brown of Atkin was in the city.

For spring water phone 264. tf  
Mrs. Sophia Arnold is visiting in Staples.

Crystal Spring water, \$1.00 month. L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m  
Mrs. Ole Elvestor and daughter Elva, have gone to Bismarck, N. D., for a visit with friends.

See Nettleton for Liberty Lots. tf  
Thomas Keating, formerly of Deerwood and now residing in Minneapolis, was in the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Durham are visiting Mrs. Durham's sister, Mrs. L. D. Beach at Northome.

Nettleton sells and rents houses.

Mrs. Susan Davis of Cleveland, O., is a guest of Mrs. A. E. Losey and Miss Robinson at Nisawa.

Charles Duncan of Litchfield, Ill., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry George, 719 North Broadway.

Deputy Sheriff John Byrne has returned from attending to official business on the Cuyuna range.

Maxwell car, 1916 model, almost like new, for sale cheap if taken at once. M. E. Hitch. 65tf

Harry A. Levant, brother of Ed Levant, was married in Superior, Wis., on Monday to Miss Sarah Haronnan.

Mrs. Annie Peterson and two daughters, Lillian and Mary, went to Aberdeen, S. D., on Friday afternoon.

Miss Della Imgrund, guest of her cousin, Miss Marie Imgrund, returned on Friday afternoon to her home in Wadena.

Purity Ice Cream Co. Both Phones, N.W. 727. Tri-State 6268. tf  
Miss Beatrice Morrison has returned to her home in Brainerd after a short visit with Miss Ruth Bentley. —Remidji Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Coventry motored to Duluth and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Clark of East Second street.

Dance at Socialist hall, Southeast Brainerd, Saturday evening. Good music. 7012

John H. Krekelberg left for Perham this afternoon where his father will undergo an operation for cancer of the stomach tomorrow morning.

20 percent discount on Refrigerators and Lawn Mowers while they last. Orne's, 714-716 Laurel St. 58tf

Mrs. Peter Knudsen and Mrs. Geo. Badeaux have gone to Duluth for a visit of a few days with Mrs. Knudsen's daughter, Miss Emma Bartling.

Dance at Ft. Ripley Friday, Aug. 27th. Imperial orchestra will play. 6912

Rev. and Mrs. A. Marteel of Valley City, N. D., and Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Isacson of Wadena were the

guests for a day of Rev. and Mrs. Elov G. Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sheets have returned from Cannon Falls where they visited Mrs. Sheets' parents. On their return home they also visited with friends in North Branch.

Albert Swanson has returned from Valparaiso, Ind., where he has just graduated from the School of Science of the Valparaiso University. He has also been taking a preparatory medical course there.

For a first class job of Oxy-Acetylene welding go to Herbert Peterson at the Woodhead Motor Co. garage. 131tf

Bruce Russell and Fred Lund of Minneapolis and Mrs. E. H. Haney and daughter Marian and Elsie and son Robert of St. Louis, Mo., motored back to Minneapolis this morning after visiting relatives in this city for a few days.

Fritz Schultz, age one year, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schultz, died of convulsions at White Sand Lake on Wednesday and the funeral was held at 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Rev. William Riemann officiating. Interment was in the new cemetery at Baxter.

Under the new jury law a special venire must be chosen the same as a regular panel, involving much additional work. Another jury has been summoned in the so-called Koochiching county cases being tried in Crow Wing county on a change of venue.

**Occident Flour**  
Costs More, Worth it.

The Dispatch Thursday evening ran almost a column and a half of want ads. There were 13 help wanted, 8 for rent, 14 for sale and 9 miscellaneous wants. The wants are read. On the "found hat" want the Dispatch telephone has been kept busy daily answering inquiries.

The jewelry business of A. F. Sorenson and Slinger sewing machine agency of George Berggren are to be removed early in September to the store room formerly occupied by D. A. Peterson in the Opsahl block on South Seventh street. The interior of the building is now being altered to suit their requirements.

For Sale—Nearly new blue enameled Quick-meal range. G. E. Lammon. 58

Press of business in other lines has caused Turcotte Brothers to offer their bus line for sale and if North-east Brainerd wishes to retain this public convenience someone should quickly buy the line. Wm. V. Turcotte has received several good offers from the range for one bus and for two of them.

The change in time of the afternoon train for St. Paul causes a lot of people to miss the train, delaying passengers and mail. Letters must be mailed at the postoffice before 12:30 to make the 12:50 train. To catch the Duluth train with mail, matter must be deposited at the postoffice before 2:10 P. M.

Apprentice girl wanted at the Swelland Studios. Must be seventeen years or older. 7012

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wheeler and daughter Elydah, enroute from Bemidji to Minneapolis in their large touring car, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Lincoln. Mrs. Wheeler is a cousin of Mr. Lincoln. Mr. Wheeler is the president of the North-west Automobile Co. They visited Itasca park and speaking of crops. Mr. Wheeler made the statement that Crow Wing county had the best of any seen on their route.

Brainerd is to be included in new organization plans of the State Humane Society, and Welcome W. Bradley, secretary and executive officer of the Minnesota Society for the Prevention of Cruelty will see arrange to work in Crow Wing county. Interested people in Brainerd and vicinity are asked to send in their names, together with those of a man and a woman who may give special assistance in the work, to the state headquarters at 202 Wilder building, St. Paul.

**Opportunities For Older Men**

Because of the war many positions formerly filled by young men are open to older men. A man's kidneys may make him unfit for hard labor or clear thinking, may make him old before his time, for poisons retained in the system "slows him up" physically and mentally. Foley Kidney Pills tone up weak, disordered kidneys. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

**Just Like Stocks.**

Stockbroker (visiting the hospital): How's your temperature, old man? In valid Partner—Great for active speculation. It went to 104 five times yesterday, each time dropping back to par.—Boston Transcript.

# A NEW LINE OF SWEATERS JUST RECEIVED

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Falling Back Before Germans on Entire Riga Line.

**DRIVE GAINING IN IMPETUS**

Great Italian Offensive Along Isonzo Front Brings Attackers Nearer Austrian Seaport of Trieste—British Forces Make Progress at Lens and in Ypres Region.

London, Aug. 24.—The Russian armies east of Riga have fallen back before the Germans all along the line from Raggedzem, on the gulf of Riga, through Tukum and Kamern to the upper reaches of the River Aa.

The Russians evacuated positions without offering battle, previously having destroyed villages before them, Berlin announces officially.

Fighting is going on on a twenty mile front east of Riga in the Lake Babit sector.

To the south in Volhynia the Germans also have delivered attacks against the Russians in counter attacks. In the Roumanian theater the Russian offensive in various sectors or repulsed Teutonic allied counter attacks. No important gains in this region have been made by either of the combatants.

The great offensive of the Italians along the Isonzo front daily continues to gain in impetus and apparently the strong Austrian counter attacks nowhere have been able to stem the tide that is bringing General Cadorna's men gradually closer toward their objective.

**French Holding Their Gains.**

Around Verdun, in France, the French army is holding its gains of the early week unhampered by the German infantry, but with the guns of the crown prince raking the line at various points.

At Lens the Canadians have worked their way further into the environs of the coal city and in Belgium, near Ypres, Field Marshal Haig's men have been victorious in a two days' battle, making gains over their front varying in depth from half a mile to a few hundred yards, notwithstanding the tenacious resistance of the Germans.

On both the northern and southern ends of the battle line in the Austro-Italian theater the Italians have pressed forward their line for considerable new gains against the Austrians.

The counter attacks of the Austrians are of the most extreme violence, but nowhere have they been able to dislodge the Italians.

Although the exact extent of the Italian advance has not yet become apparent and the objective aimed at is not definitely known, General Cadorna, over the entire thirty-seven miles of the fighting front, has everywhere made progress and the Austrians are reported unofficially to be stripping Trieste of its valuables and removing them to Vienna and other places.

**CAN ENDURE LONG SIEGE**

Turks Strongly Fortify Ancient City of Jerusalem.

New York, Aug. 23.—The ancient city of Jerusalem, one of the objectives of the British campaign of Palestine, now is a strongly fortified city. Protected by modern armament and held by Turkish defenders, officered by Germans of high command, it has a defensive, which, to overcome, will require an effort on a par with the trench campaign in Flanders, according to members of a party of missionaries who arrived here this week from Turkey and surrounding mission fields.

**PERU IS READY TO BREAK**

May Soon Join in Waging War on German Empire.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Peru's readiness to break relations with Germany is indicated clearly in the Peruvian president's recent message to congress, the text of which was received from the American minister and made public by the state department.

The attitude of the United States in entering the war was endorsed and it was intimated that Peruvian waters were open to American warships.

**BREAK APPEARS IMMINENT**

Germany Declines to Concede Demands of Argentine.

Zurich, Aug. 24.—Germany has replied to the Argentine note which demanded compensation for a torpedoed Argentine ship and a pledge from Germany that she would abstain from torpedoing Argentine vessels in the future. It is officially announced from Berlin that Germany has not conceded these demands, but the possibility of an amicable settlement is not excluded.

**Senate Confirms Garrett.**

Washington, Aug. 24.—The nomination of John W. Garrett of Baltimore to be minister to The Netherlands and Luxembourg was confirmed by the senate.

**WOMEN TO WORK IN DU- PONT WAR PLANT.**

Wilmington, Del., Aug. 24.—Announcement was made by the Dupont Powder company that it will employ women munition makers at "war" plants at Carneys Point, N. J., where the bulk of smokeless powder is made for this government and the allies. They will be employed in cutting powder, this work being light.

**RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND**

American Association.  
Milwaukee 4, Indianapolis 1.  
Louisville 5, Kansas City 4.

American League.  
Chicago 6, Washington 0.  
Boston 4, St. Louis 2.  
Cleveland 4, New York 2.  
Detroit 7, Philadelphia 3.

National League.  
St. Louis 7, Brooklyn 5.  
Boston 2, Pittsburgh 1.  
Chicago 0, New York 0.

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## WOMAN'S REALM

### COLD PACK IN CANNING BEANS

Demonstrated at Domestic Science Rooms of Brainerd High School on Thursday Afternoon

### ALSO PACKING IN SALT SHOWN

Direction Mrs. C. D. McKay. Another Demonstration Friday Direction of Mrs. L. P. Hall

Thursday afternoon, the ladies of the Public Safety Auxiliary held a highly successful meeting at the domestic science room of the Brainerd high school.

The meeting was held for the purpose of demonstrating new processes of canning and packing beans.

Two methods were shown, one of canning by the cold pack in glass jars, and the other by packing in salt in earthenware jars. The cost of both methods is small and beans preserved in this manner are appetizing and wholesome and retain practically all the freshness and good qualities of the vegetables as when first picked and are certain to be appreciated during the winter days when fresh vegetables are not to be had.

The demonstration was under the direction of Mrs. C. D. McKay and representatives of practically all the church guilds were present as well as a large number of other ladies.

It is to be hoped that every lady in Brainerd who has not a successful method of preserving beans in this manner will be able to take advantage of these methods.

The beans canned at this demonstration were donated and will be placed at the disposal of the Associated Charities.

On Friday afternoon, Aug. 31st, at 1 o'clock P. M., another demonstration will be given at the domestic science room of the high school, by Mrs. L. P. Hall of Bay Lake, assisted by Mrs. C. D. McKay, and methods will be shown for canning and packing chicken, fish, cauliflower, corn, tomatoes, Swiss chard and other vegetables and fruits. Every lady in Brainerd and Crow Wing county is cordially invited to be present.

#### Violin and Song Recital

Miss Georgia Drexler will be heard in a violin and song recital at the M. E. church, Friday evening, Aug. 31st. Admission 25c and 5c. The proceeds will enter the building fund of her Sunday school class.

#### Feel Worse After Vacation

The change from outdoor activity of vacation time to the quiet of regular employment sometimes makes one feel heavy and "stuffed up," uncomfortable and bilious, with a mean headache and coated tongue. Foley Cathartic Tablets give prompt relief from these results of indigestion. Mild and gentle, but sure. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advrt. mwf

### LABORATORY RAILROAD CARS

The medical advisory committee of the Red Cross War Council has just decided to equip five laboratory railroad cars which will be prepared for emergency work against possible outbreaks of epidemics in cantonment camps in this country.

Each car will have a staff of five or more experts and will be so stationed at various cities that any cantonment can be reached with one of these laboratory cars within twenty-four hours on receipt of request from federal or state authorities.

Dr. R. M. Pearce, secretary of the Medical Advisory Committee, in explaining the plan said:

"In sudden emergencies such as epidemics of meningitis or diphtheria either inside a military encampment or in the vicinity, a great deal of highly specialized laboratory work will be necessary for proper control of the epidemic. Although laboratories will be established in each district, sufficient for ordinary requirements, these may have neither the equipment nor the staff to meet such emergencies, and to enlarge all of these laboratories would be excessively expensive.

"The setting up of an emergency laboratory always involves loss of time and some confusion. The most practical way to meet the requirements is to have several laboratory cars, fully equipped and distributed at various points throughout the country, so that one may be delivered at any point within twenty-four hours. Various large laboratories will furnish volunteer staffs of the most competent men in the country, held in readiness to respond immediately to any call. By this arrangement a fully equipped laboratory with experienced staff, prepared to begin work at once, will be immediately available wherever needed."

The U. S. Public Health Service has such a mobile laboratory unit and Surgeon General Rupert Blue said the Red Cross cars would prove of the greatest assistance in the control of civilian sanitary districts. The plan has also been commended by the Surgeons General of the United States Army and Navy.

#### Schools Will Open

An item in the Dispatch yesterday said that the city schools would open Tuesday afternoon, September 4. The item should have said "Tuesday forenoon."

#### Will Never Be Without It

No other cough medicine "reaches the spot," heals, soothes and relieves irritating, hacking coughs like Foley's Honey and Tar. Mrs. John Bournoville, Brussels, Wis., writes: "I've been using Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for years and recommend it for children. I will never be without it in the house." H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advrt. mwf



Scene from "Freckles" at the Opera House on Sunday, August 26th

### MRS. CLARA FULLER A SUFFRAGE MARTYR

Washington, D. C., Aug. 24—Mrs. Clara Fuller of Little Falls, editor of the Little Falls Transcript, in company with five other pickets, was arrested while picketing in front of the White House. Mrs. Fuller in Washington dispatches is described as a zealous suffrage worker.

Mrs. Gertrude Hunter of Minneapolis, one of her companions, who picketed for an hour one day last week, wrote a piece about it in the papers.

The half dozen submitted without resistance and were hurried off in a patrol wagon.

#### At the Best Tonight

That "love will find a way" is exemplified in the Edison photoplay, "One Touch of Nature," which may be seen at the Best Theatre today. The love of a rich man's son for a vaudeville actress, notwithstanding parental objections, is finally forgiven and matters straightened out.

The father who is a baseball "fan" becomes enthusiastic over his son's playing, and forgives all when he meets his son's wife whom he had formerly objected to because she was an actress.

#### Lillian Gish at the Best

Wilfred Lucas and Lillian Gish are co-starred in "Souls Triumphant," a Triangle picture which will be exhibited at the Best theatre tomorrow.

The play presents a contrast of character and of scene. There is the ingenious girl of fine ideals and the woman whose spirit is represented by a snake. The quiet scenes of home and country where the girl dominates are flashed in startling



Wilfred Lucas and Lillian Gish in "Triangle Play," "Souls Triumphant," contrast to the revelry of underworld resorts.

One of the most prominent parts in the play is taken by a three-year-old baby athlete. He appears as the son of the young couple who are on the verge of separation because of the husband's reversion to the licentious pleasures of his bachelor days. The child performs many gymnastic stunts, such as hand-springs, standing on his head and turning somersaults.

Spottiswoode Altin is the rector of St. Anthony's and father of Lillian Gish. Grace Hamilton is the woman of vampire charms and poisoned conscience.

#### Men's Society Meets

The men's society of the Bethlehem Lutheran church meets this evening at the home of Judge Gustav Halvorsen. The genial south side man is 39 years old and the club will help him celebrate the occasion.

#### Twilight Workers

The Twilight Workers of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet tonight at the home of August Lind on South Tenth street. All members are asked to be present.

Sorrow with his pick mines the heart, but he is a cunning workman. He deepens the channels whereby happiness may enter and hollows out new chambers for joy to abide in when he is gone.

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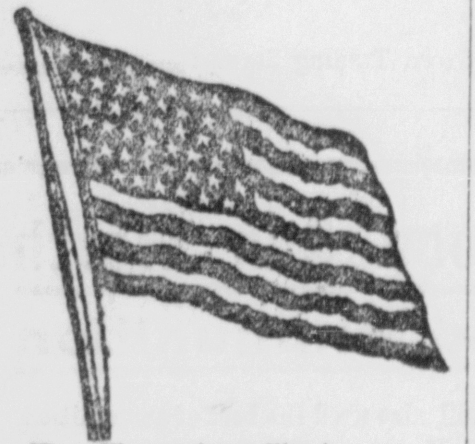
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The Flag for me and you—  
Glorified the whole world wide—  
The Red, the White, the Blue!

## COAL OPERATORS MAY OPPOSE PRICE FIXED

Washington, Aug. 24.—Dissatisfied with the scale of prices for bituminous coal promulgated by President Wilson, coal operators of the United States will meet at Pittsburgh next Wednesday to discuss the situation.

The purpose will be to consider "the abnormal conditions under which the industry is now asked to labor." Dr. F. C. Honnold, spokesman for the operators of Illinois, who a few days ago strongly advocated federal regulation as distinguished from price fixing by that state, is not enthusiastic.

The operators are in the dark as to whether the president intends the government shall take over the entire coal supply of the nation and resell it to consumers or whether he will go no further than to designate a coal director to make other adjustments in prices and to take up the distribution problem.

President Wilson was in conference with the federal trade commission at its offices for three hours during the day and is expected to announce his plans before the end of the week.

## GUARD AGAINST EPIDEMICS

Red Cross Will Equip Five Railway Laboratory Cars.

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## TEACH FOOD CONSERVATION

Educational Days Named by Food Administration.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The food administration has designated Aug. 28, 29 and 30 as educational days when public speakers throughout the country will disseminate information on food conservation.

Among the speakers obtained for meetings here are Herbert Hoover and Carl Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture.

Among the phases of the food situation to be discussed are wheat and meat needs, dairy conditions, fat conservation and other conservation topics.

## WHEAT SELLS AT \$5 A POUND

Montana Farmers Buy All They Can Get of New Variety.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 24.—Wheat sold in Helena for \$5 per pound.

This was the price asked and readily received for the new variety created by Luther Burbank, known as superwheat, the announcement of which was made recently.

Mr. Burbank claims the wheat will yield seventy bushels to the acre.

It is sometimes safer—and a whole lot braver—to look a lion in the face than a mule in the heels.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

## MUST MAKE PROFIT TO PAY BIG TAXES

Business Interests Will Be Called on to Bear Burden.

## HAVE TO TURN OVER MONEY

There is Not Enough Actual Cash in the Country to Pay Cost of First Year of War—Congress Should Not Lose Sight of the Fact That Without Profits Assessments Cannot Be Met.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Aug. 24.—[Special].—Congress must not lose sight of the fact that in order to pay taxes business must produce profits.

An appeal has been made to business to disregard profits and consider patriotism only. That would be all right if the country were not confronted with a gigantic task which looks beyond the present. All the money—that means actual cash—now in the country would not begin to finance the expenditures of the war for the first year. That money must be turned over and over again and produce profits as it passes from hand to hand in order that each profit may pay its share of the expenses of the war.

It is possible for the government to commandeer all the wealth of the country, all the money actually that it can lay its hands on, but that would amount to little, considering the big thing which is before it.

### Presidents and Money.

I have heard it said that President Wilson grows aloof and fidgets as soon as any one begins to talk figures and finance to him. Of course he could not have become a great college professor without a modicum of mathematical acumen. But it is said that he knows little about the abstract questions of national finance.

Colonel Roosevelt was another of the same type. He did not have much idea of cost, of where money came from or what was meant by enormous expenditures. The treasury to him was a never ending fount of supply for the nation.

Of course presidents without well formed ideas of raising money have a great advantage over those who think it necessary to skimp and economize and pay attention to the question as to where money is to come from to pay the national bills.

### Congress Given a Free Hand.

Congress has been given a free hand in the matter of raising money. The president has not undertaken to dictate how money shall be raised, what shall be taxed and what shall be exempt. Everything has been left with Secretary McAdoo and congress. There is one thing of which congress can make no complaint—it has not been bossed in the matter of raising money. While it has been told what to do in pretty much everything else in connection with the war, it has had its own way in taxing the people to pay for the war.

### For Use at Home.

Quite frequently senators and representatives are called upon for a "ringing declaration" on the war situation or a sentiment for patriotic use at big meetings held for the purpose of working up enthusiasm for prosecuting the war. Most of them respond with the best they have in mind, for such contributions can be furnished and do a double stunt—help the war movement here and help the congressman in his home community.

### Pennsylvania Versus California.

The big senator from Pennsylvania seems to "have it in" for the somewhat smaller senator from California. Penrose and Phelan are frequently throwing bricks at each other. Penrose will often assert that Phelan is doing something just for the sake of California; that he is ever ready to look after the California interests. Phelan will come back with a hot one about Penrose and the steel corporations of Pennsylvania.

"It is all good natured, up to a certain point, but sometimes the bricks thrown back and forth are more than playful missiles.

### Why the Outcry?

During a discussion of one of the bills to get minerals out of western lands Senator Poindexter of Washington asked:

"We have a Federal Trade Commission; we have established a food and fuel control director; we have the Sherman anti-trust law and the Clayton anti-trust law. Why is it that we hear this outcry throughout the length and breadth of the land for fuel and other necessities at reasonable prices?"

The query was in regard to assertions that combinations controlled the supply; that they were preventing production and holding supplies for higher prices.

### Very Johnsonian.

A bill was being considered in the senate for use of motor trucks to bring food to cities, and quite a number of arguments were made against it. Finally Senator Hiram Johnson of California took the floor. "Many of the arguments made against this bill are added inducements to me to favor it," he said. "If it will hasten the day when the government will itself direct and control transportation I shall gladly vote for it."

He is not scared about government ownership.

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Each soldier in a modern army carries with him sufficient food, clothing, shelter, fighting arms and ammunition to take care of himself for a short period in case he should be separated from his company. The total weight of his load, in addition to the clothes he wears, is 50 to 70 pounds. The number of articles is surprisingly large. They are so devised, however, that by ingenious methods of packing and adjusting they can all be carried with the least possible effort.

You are personally responsible for all the arms, clothing, and supplies issued to you. The trained soldier keeps track of them. He knows immediately at any time where every one of his belongings is to be found. You are required to keep them in good condition. In case you need other articles, they may be issued to you; but their value in that case will be deducted from your next pay.

You will receive on enlistment an ample supply of clothing, including not only your uniform, but extra shoes, shirts, underclothes, and socks. You may not be able always to keep your clothing spotlessly clean. But when it becomes dirty or spotted take the first opportunity to clean it thoroughly.

Your shoes must be cleaned and polished frequently. Wet shoes should be carefully dried. Army men frequently dry their shoes during the night by taking a few handfuls of dry, clean pebbles, heating them in a meat can or kettle until they are very hot, and then placing them in the shoes. So long as the pebbles are hot move them about once in a while by shaking the shoes. Take care not to heat the pebbles so hot that the shoes will be scorched.

In general, see to it that all your clothing is as neat and clean as possible at all times. Mend rips and sew on buttons without delay. This will add to your comfort as well as appearance.

Wear your hat straight. Don't affect the "smart aleck" style by tilting the hat. Keep all buttons fastened. Have your trousers and leggings properly laced. Keep yourself clean shaved. Carry yourself like a soldier.

Bear in mind that there is a tendency in camp life for men to become careless and untidy. You must use every means to counteract this tendency. For this purpose the customs and regulations of the army emphasize the necessity for personal neatness and cleanliness. The good soldier keeps close watch on himself.

Besides his extra clothing a soldier carries a blanket, a rubber poncho, a canteen, a mess kit, including meat can, knife, fork and spoon, a cup, toilet articles, a first aid package, and some minor belongings.

One of the most useful pieces is one-half of a shelter tent, with rope and pins. The shelter tent is said to be a French invention which was introduced into the American army during the Civil War. In the army it is often called a "dog tent," evidently because of its shape and small size. Two men can combine their halves and set up a shelter tent in a few minutes. While it can not be described as roomy, it is just what its name implies, a "shelter" from wind and rain. It is used only in temporary camps.

Your chief fighting tools will be a rifle a bayonet in a scabbard, a car-

son, general manager of the American Red Cross, Mr. Rogers will have entire charge of the work in these states. The division includes 153 chapters, having more than 100,000 members.

### HEADS NORTHERN DIVISION

Minneapolis Man to Manage Red Cross in Four States.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The Red Cross war council, through its chairman, Henry P. Davison, announces the appointment of A. R. Rogers, president of the Rogers Lumber company of Minneapolis, as manager of the Northern division of the Red Cross, which includes Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Montana.

Under the new system of administration inaugurated by Harvey D. Gu-

## GARFIELD MADE FUEL DIRECTOR

Control of Coal Industry Is Almost Complete.

### FIXES ANTHRACITE PRICES

President Sets Rate for Producers and Jobbers and Places Limit on Profits to Be Made by Bituminous Wholesalers—Coal Administration Will Organize as Soon as Possible.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Government control of the coal industry was made almost complete when President Wilson named Dr. H. A. Garfield, president of Williams college, fuel administrator, fixed anthracite prices for producers and jobbers and set a limit on profits to be made by bituminous wholesalers.

The next and final step will be to make regulations for coal distribution and to fix anthracite and bituminous retail prices. This will be done when a distribution program is perfected and when the federal trade commission has completed a plan under which retail profits may be fixed.

The anthracite prices fixed effective Sept. 1 are virtually the same as those now charged at the mines under a voluntary arrangement made by producers with the trade commission. The prices that may be charged by jobbers, however, will reduce present costs sharply. Bituminous jobbers' profits, too, will be cut by the new price scale set for wholesale transactions.

The coal administration will be organized as soon as Dr. Garfield has completed his work of recommending to the food administration a government price for the 1917 wheat crop.

Under the law giving the president control of fuels the government can take over and operate any mines failing to observe regulations prescribed.

Fixing of retail prices presents a tangled problem. Handling costs are not the same in any two cities and a flat gross margin that will assure equitable profits will be hard to fix.

On the other hand a percentage profit plan would present even more difficulties because of trouble in keeping track of bookkeeping methods.

### KILL WILSON FOR \$10,000

Remark Promptly Lands Chicago Austrian in Jail.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Peter Oberhofer, an Austrian, is alleged to have remarked to fellow factory employees that the president ought to be killed and that for \$10,000 he would do it himself.

A few minutes later the department of justice knew of the remark and Oberhofer's plea that he was "just fooling" did not obtain his release.

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Young Ralph C. Falconer at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, Describes Soldier Life

### CAVALRY INTO THE ARTILLERY

19th Cavalry Changed Into Provisional Artillery, Rifles Exchanged for Pistols

Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., Aug. 14. Editor Brainerd Dispatch, Brainerd, Minn.

Dear Sir: You no doubt will be surprised to hear from me but I hope I can, as I expect, reach a great many of my friends through your paper.

There are still three Brainerd boys here, Floyd Warner, Floyd Hall and myself. We are in different batteries however. The 19th cavalry of which we were members, has been changed into provisional field artillery, so now we have turned in our rifles and received pistols. We have not yet got any cannon but expect to soon. We will probably leave here for some artillery drilling post such as Ft. Syl, Oklahoma.

We are progressing pretty well so far as Hall is driving the best span of mules in the supply battery.

Warner will probably be promoted to a non-commissioned officer's job, and I have been fortunate enough to be already promoted to a corporalship.

This is a great life. There are many hardships to encounter, but that only makes it the more interesting. It is a job for men and men only. I thought, as a great many civilians do now, that it is easy to be a soldier. Well, they will change their minds if they have occasion to go into the army. A soldier has one of the hardest positions I know of. Imagine riding from 2 to 3 hours bareback on a horse that has a back bone that is very sharp. Then double time for from a half hour to three quarters of an hour. That will show what we have to do. Rise at 5:15. There is no choice; we have to rise at that time. We can't sleep as long as we wish. Then think of what we have to learn, all about a horse, saddle, cannon, riding, infantry drill, dismounted artillery drill, mounted artillery drill, saber and pistol drill. Not so easy is it?

I enjoy reading all the Brainerd Dispatch and would appreciate any you would care to send.

Soon school will be starting and all the high school fellows will be struggling with Latin, Caesar, chemistry, physics, etc. Misery loves company, so Langine Hall, Warner and I sitting outside a bareback horse, trying to look pleasant when we are almost getting jolted to death, or sitting on a heavy cannon or riding without a spring whatsoever in it, and our arms folded as we go over bumps alone.

I will be glad to hear from any of the people I went to school with.

With regards to all my friends,  
RALPH C. FALCONER,  
Battery B, Prov. F. A. (19th Cav.)  
Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt.

### BRAINERD'S ODDEST STORIES OF TODAY

George Trent, Sr., claim the world's record in tires. He has had three automobiles. With the first he made 4,000 miles, second 5,000 miles and third car is on 3,000 miles and not a puncture or blowout recorded. But George always has been a stickler on keeping his tires up to standard air pressure, and is a mighty careful driver too.

V. H. Dessen of the Dredge Ice cream manufacturing company, went into the ditch on the Oak street road four and a half mile east of town when blinded by headlights of another car. The car was left in the ditch and good Samaritan hauled Dessen to town. Mr. Dessen said he wished everybody was compelled to use dimmers.

The judge who sits in Bemidji next month will have the chance to read one of the longest complaints ever filed in this district court. It's a rebate case directed against the Great Northern railway and the complaint is 200 pages long.

### DEATH OF PIONEER

Mrs. Wilhelmine Monette of Crow Wing, Buried Thursday Afternoon From Home

Mrs. Wilhelmine Monette, age 79, a pioneer of Crow Wing county, died of paralysis and the funeral was held at Crow Wing on Thursday afternoon. She was a widow and left a daughter, Mrs. J. J. Johnson.

## APPETITE OF BRAINERD BOYS

Carl Wright Cooks One Meal for Boys Camp at South Long Lake and Ascertains Same

### HAVE SEVEN TENTS ON LAKE

Expect to Remain There Ten Days Enjoying Life in the Open as Only Boys Can

What about the appetite of the average American boy?

Ask Carl Wright, he knows from experience. Thereby hangs a tale.

A party of fifteen Brainerd boys are camped at South Long Lake on what is known as the Merwin farm and are enjoying life in the open as only a wide-awake Brainerd boy knows how.

They have seven tents, cooking equipment, camp was established on Monday and they expect to remain for ten days.

Monday, Mr. Wright, always interested in the boys and their outing plans, visited the camp and assisted in making the plans for their stay on the shores of the pretty lake. He superintended the laying out of the camp, pitching of tents and other details and "being some cook" allowed he would prepare dinner. He did, please consider the following menu:

One peck of large potatoes; one half peck onions, fried in butter; one large two-quart jar of jam, one pound of butter, one can cocoa, one can, army size, baked beans.

"Eat?" said Mr. Wright to the Dispatch, "those boys would be still eating if I had planned for a threshing crew, as I should, and the way they are enjoying themselves does a fellow's heart good, especially when he is confined in an office and cannot be out all of the time to enjoy this weather. Our Brainerd boys have the greatest opportunities for clean, healthful out-of-doors sport and recreation of any boys in the country and they are taking advantage of it, too. It will do your heart good to visit the camp at South Long lake and see them," he continued.

## CAR EFFICIENCY AS WAR RESULT

Freight car efficiency has increased 22 per cent, according to figures compiled by the Railroads' War Board. Records for about half of the country's railway mileage show an increase in ton miles of freight traffic for June, the latest available month, over the corresponding period of 1916.

"Efforts of the managers to aid the government in the conduct of the war are now showing excellent results," said G. W. Murnane, secretary Twin City sub-committee on car service. "This has become possible through unstinted co-operation of shippers. Some conditions, no doubt, are still troublesome, however, the most important to the Northwest being the coal problem.

"Whenever coal is brought into this territory the executives in charge of railway operation will see that it is shipped to points wherever it is needed. The fact that boats are almost entirely coming up the Great Lakes without fuel cargoes renders the puzzle a difficult one for the carriers.

"Continued help from shipping interests will be immense service to the government, and public, at this time in keeping transportation at its present efficiency."

### BIG SNAKE KILLED

Reptile Seven Feet 3 Inches Long Dispatched by Art Drogseth in H. Turcotte Wood Shed

The biggest snake in the history of Brainerd was killed in the woodshed of H. Turcotte, 594 Quince street, by Art Drogseth who used a 22 rifle. The reptile, believed to have escaped from a recent street carnival in Brainerd, measured fully 7 feet 3 inches.

It was discovered by young Earl Hardy who alarmed the neighborhood. The snake lay coiled in a corner of the shed sunning itself in a slant of sunlight. His dead snake-ship is now on exhibition at Turcotte's store.

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## BILICAN GETS A FLYING START

Wilfred Canan Now Cartoonist for the Fargo Daily Courier-News, First Cartoon Aug. 14

### HITS THE FRONT PAGE OF PAPER

Also Shines Out on Editorial Page, Given Fine Introductory Write Up by Editor

Wilfred Canan is now cartoonist of the Fargo Daily Courier-News and is given a flying start in the August 14 issue. His picture and first cartoon embellished the center of the front page. His first impressions of Fargo, with the accent on the "go" adorn the editorial page.

The write-up follows:

"The photograph and sketches shown on this page (front page of the Courier-News) are intended as an introduction for a sunny-souled individual who will be a lot better known to the people of Fargo before long.

"He is Wilfred Canan, cartoonist for the Courier-News beginning today, and known wherever his work has appeared by the pen name of 'Billican,' which is really a very simple contraction of his own name.

"Mr. Canan is an artist of undoubted genius whose work has appeared in publications of national circulation. He comes to The Courier-News from Brainerd, Minn., where he has been doing 'free-lance' work. Just one circumstance has kept him in the past from accepting engagements on metropolitan newspapers and magazines. He is handicapped from an illness which left him a cripple and which makes him reluctant to go to a large city. Mr. Canan moves about the city in the chariot which he has humorously sketched above. He has no sensitiveness about his affliction. He likes to have people know who he is.

"I get ideas that way," he says. Also, publicity prevents misunderstandings.

"People have been trying to buy lead pencils and shoestrings from me since I came to town," he remarked yesterday.

"Down in the corner of this item is the figure which is Mr. Canan's patron saint and mascot, Billican, 'The God of Things as They Ought to Be.' Mr. Canan is himself the personification of this cheerful philosophy. He is a cheerful, sunny person to meet and to know. Get acquainted with him.

"Another sketch of 'Billican' appears on the editorial page."

### CROP REPORT

Temperatures Above Normal in Most Corn States, Spring Wheat Yields are Good

The government crop report for the week ending August 22 follows: Temperatures were above normal in most of the corn states, except Kansas. The rainfall was light in the northern and eastern corn area, and moderate to heavy in the southwest. Corn improved, and the crop is now 10 to 20 days later than normal in most central and northern states; it is estimated that the bulk of the crop in the central states will reach maturity before the average date of the first killing frost.

Harvesting and threshing of the various grains progressed under favorable conditions. Yields of spring wheat were generally better than anticipated. Plowing for winter wheat progressed to the central Mississippi valley; the soil is dry in parts of the east, but is in good condition in the southwest.

Rain is needed for potatoes, truck crops and pastures in many places from the Ohio valley eastward, and in the northwest. Ranges improved in the southwest.

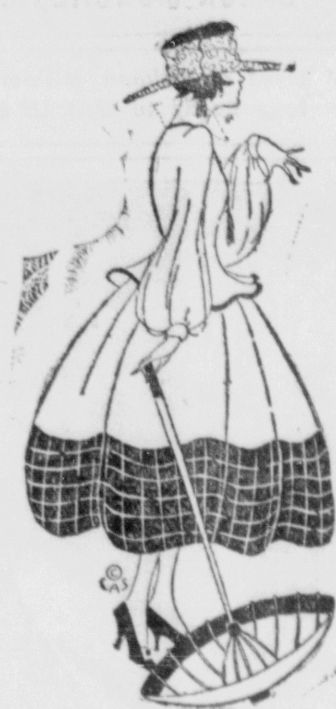
### Sunday Hunting Violation

Hunting on Sunday is in violation of Minnesota laws, according to an opinion given by Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith. The question was raised because the season for shooting small game opens this year on Sunday, September 16. Carlos Avery, state fish and game commissioner, said that his department had not received inquiries on the subject.

"The law quoted is one prohibiting gaming on Sunday and has been on the statute for years," said Mr. Avery, "but sportsmen have never felt that it was a part of the game regulations and little attention has been paid to it in other years."

### Are You Lucky?

In August the air is full of pollen and dust that cause trouble for some, yet others are never bothered. No remedy does more to relieve hay fever and asthma than Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup. It clears and soothes the afflicted nose, throat and bronchial tubes. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv.



## And Again More New Pretty Serge Dresses

Young women going away to school are viewing these dresses with much interest for it helps them solve the dress problem so satisfactorily. We searched long to find the splendid styles we have. They have individuality which the women so much like.

H. F. MICHAEL CO.



### ARE YOU ALIVE?

Newspaper is a Town's Way of Letting People Know Where City and Cemetery is

(Cass Lake Times) A newspaper is a town's way of letting outside people know that it is alive—a guide post whereby they can tell the city and the cemetery apart. Most every citizen of the town is willing to put up a slab to let people know he is dead, but entirely too many in every community that are trying to do business without taking the trouble to let anybody know they are alive. Moral: Don't let your epitaph be your first ad. There may be somebody that would like to do business with you.

### OBSTRUCTING TRACKS

Two Boys Bound Over Charged With Putting Obstructions on N. P. Railway Tracks

Wallace Nygard age 13 and Alfred Sather age 14, charged with placing obstructions on Northern Pacific railway tracks, had a hearing in municipal court and were bound over, each under \$200 bail. Special agents of the railway have been working on the case.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

July 2. John Eddy, widower, to Ludwig Mathison as of nw 19-126-28 qcd \$50. Frank Hagenbarth and wife to D. L. Raymond lots 2 and 3 of 7-44-29 wd \$2250.

July 3. J. L. McMahon, unmarried, to Louis Spolar parcel 93 of nw of sec of 14-136-26 wd \$1.

July 3. E. E. Brindes and wife to E. O. Merchant lot 21 blk. 8 town of Crosby wd Torrens.

Paul M. Hale and wife to Tony Ronickor lot 10 blk. 16 Woodrow, wd Torrens.

Louis H. Bolduc and wife to Minnehaha Mining Co. und. 1/2 s 1/2 of 20-47-28 wd \$1 etc.

John E. Boutell and wife to same, und. 1-16 of s 1/2 of n 1/2 20-47-28 wd \$1 etc.

Marion M. Eaton, single, to same, und. 1-16 same description wd \$1 etc.

Gull River Lumber Co. to F. J. Quinn single, ne of ne of 22-135-29 wd \$1 etc.

Martin Halloran, single, to Minnehaha Mining Co. und. 1-16 of s 1/2 n 1/2 20-47-28 wd \$1 etc.

Lydia A. King to same und. 1-96 int. in s 1/2 n 1/2 20-47-28 wd \$1 etc.

Lydia A. King, guardian, to same, same description, guardians deed, \$100.

W. D. Lawrence and wife to same und. 1-32 int. of s 1/2 n 1/2 20-47-28 wd \$1 etc.

William C. Leary single to same, same description wd \$1 etc.

F. J. Quinn single to Frank Heywood ne of ne of 22-135-29 wd \$1 etc.

Herbert Valentine Rogers and wife to Minnehaha Mining Co. und. 1-16 of s 1/2 n 1/2 of 20-47-28 wd \$1 etc.

Mary Scott single to Minnehaha Mining Co. und. 1-96 of s 1/2 n 1/2 20-47-28 wd \$1 etc.

Mary G. Scott widow to same, und. 1-96 same description, wd \$1 etc.

Jeanette Hamilton Scott, single, to same, und. 1-96 same description, wd \$1 etc.

Charles Linnacus Smith and wife to same, und. 40-96 same description wd \$1 etc.

Albert E. Ward and wife to John M. Cooper part of w 1/2 s 1/2 of 27-138-26 wd \$180.

Edward F. Waite and wife to Minnehaha Mining Co. und. 1-32 of s 1/2 n 1/2 of 20-47-28 wd \$1 etc.

James A. Wirtensohn single to same

und. 1-16 of s 1/2 n 1/2 20-47-28 wd \$1 etc.

July 4—No Transfers.

July 5. Al P. Berg and wife et al to John H. Hill lot 4 of the eastern reserved lands in the amended plat of the First Addn. to Ironton wd \$1 etc. Edward F. Felsina and wife to David L. Hardy lot 2 of 18-137-28 qcd \$1. First National Bank, Atkin, Minn., to Jane McPeak w 1/2 w 1/2 12-136-29 qcd \$1 etc.

Levor Johnson and wife to Albert J. Johnson part of w 1/2 nw of 14-136-29 wd \$315.

July 6.

Al P. Berg and wife et al to John H. Hill lot 13 blk. 11 West Park Addn. to Crosby wd Torrens.

Joseph L. Kitchell and wife to Leon L. Klein lots 1, 2 and 3 of 10-137-28 qcd \$1.

Min-Dul Cuyuna Exploration Co. to Swan Peter Nelson s 1/2 ne and lot 1 of 2-46-29 qcd \$1 etc.

Swan Peter Nelson and wife to Hill Mines Co. s 1/2 ne and lot 1 of 2-46-29 wd \$1 etc.

G. P. O'Brien, single, to O'Brien Mercantile Co. e 1/2 ne 30-45-29 wd \$1 etc.

Charles J. Swanson and wife to Swan Peter Nelson s 1/2 ne and lot 1 of 2-46-29 qcd \$1 etc.

Samuel Erickson and wife to Ben R. Hausman und. 1-16 of lots 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 in 2-46-28 wd \$1 etc.

July 7—No Transfers.

### He Felt Like Ninety

Nothing makes a person feel old quicker than disordered kidneys. They cause aches and pains all over the body. A. W. Morgan, Angola, La., writes: "Oh, I suffered with pain in my back. I am 43 years old, but I felt like a man 90 years old. Since I took Foley Kidney Pills I feel like I did when I was 21." H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv.

### Logical Conclusion.

"There is one big difference between pie and words."

"What is that?"

"When you mince your words you don't have to eat them."—San Francisco Chronicle.

## PARK OPERA HOUSE

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## August Clearance Sale

At B. KAATZ & SON

## A Few Specials for Saturday

Ladies Raincoats. These are \$5 and \$6 Coats	These \$3.65	Ladies and Misses Trimmed Hats. This includes every Trimmed Hat in the store	95c	Children's Dress—These are ideal school Dresses	85c
Women's Bungalow Apron—Large room aprons made of gingham	49c	Middies only These are our \$1.25 and \$1.35 Middies	89c	New Striped Dress Silks—This is an exceptional value	\$1.65
Women's Shoes—These are values up to \$4 and come in button and lace	\$2.25	Barfoot Sandals—Can't give you all sizes but a fairly good run	95c	Women's Oxfords and Pumps—Values up to \$3.50	\$1.50
Wash Good Specials—These includes wash goods up to 35c a yard	15c	See our new fall Hats—An exceptionally fine hat—Saturday	\$2.75	Headlight Overalls—Per suit Saturday Only	\$2.50

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Both Phones

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203-205 Kindred St.



# WANTS

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—Kitchen girl at the Ransford hotel. 1249-571f

WANTED—Four first class waitresses. Apply at The Model. 1299-661f

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Phone 332-J. 865-2901f

WANTED—Six helpers, \$7.75 per day of nine hours at the foundry. 1117-211f

WANTED—At N. P. hospital, girl for dining room or kitchen work. 1309-681f

WANTED—Two good cabinet makers at Kampman & Son Sash & Door factory. 1310-681f

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Hugh Breason, 609 Kingwood street. 1307-671f

WANTED—A laborer, steady employment. Apply Winnor-Adams Lumber Co., 519 Laurel. 1304-671f

WANTED—Good girl for general housework, good wages. Apply 55 Bluff Ave., Mrs. K. H. Hoorn.

WANTED—Girl to do housework. To go home nights. Mrs. R. J. Hartley, 403 North Fourth street. 1265-601f

WANTED—At once, girl for general housework. Good wages. Laundry sent out. Write Mrs. Carl Zapffe, Brainerd. 1274-611f

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Two in family. Comfortable room. Mrs. W. C. Cobb, 302 7th street north. 1305-671f

WANTED—A Finnish speaking lady clerk with some experience. Matchek Dry Good Store, Gilbert, Minn. 1318-691f

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room at 704 Norwood street. 1302-671f

FOR RENT—House at 511 2nd Ave. Inquire at premises. 1314-701f

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms at 215 4th Ave. N. E. 1231-541f

FOR RENT—Large steam heated flat in the Cale Block. E. C. Bane. 1326-701f

FOR RENT—Modern five room flat, except heat. Apply 407 South 7th St. 1260-591f

FOR RENT—Store room 212 South Seventh. Inquire Mrs. Lindner, Mahlum Block. 970-21f

FOR RENT—Two furnished sleeping rooms. Bath, electric light, telephone. 722 South Broadway.

FOR RENT—Four rooms and bath. Rooms are partly furnished. Inquire at 921 Ivy street, or phone 58-R. 1322-691f

FOR RENT—Two room flat for light housekeeping, gas, bath on same floor and other conveniences. Pearce block. 1331-701f

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Household furniture. 415 4th Ave. N. E. 1270-611f

FOR SALE—Bay mare. E. H. Husemann, 617 South Ninth. 1268-611f

NEW household furniture for sale cheap. W. H. Polzin, 915 Main. 1323-6913p

FOR SALE—Six desirable residence lots on Bluff Ave. Phone 539-J. 1235-541f

FOR SALE—Eight room house, modern except heat. 914 Bluff Ave. N. 1308-681f

FOR SALE—Pedigreed Airdale puppies. Wilbur Smith, 604 Oak St. N. E. 1280-621f

FOR SALE—Nearly new Blue Enamelled Quick Meal Range. G. E. Lammon. 1325-701df-361fw

FOR SALE—Steam boiler for heating plant, also 15 or 20 thousand brick. Jones & Horton. 1229-531f

FOR SALE—Household goods. Leaving the city. Dr. I. C. Edwards, Cale block. Both phones. 1301-671f

FOR SALE—Either one or both Lum Park busses. Good paying prop-

osition. Turcotte Brothers. 1330-701f

FOR SALE—1913 Buick, five-passenger touring car, guaranteed first class condition. Price reasonable, terms if desired. Woodhead Motor Co. 1141-361f

FOR SALE—Dining room set as good as new; book case and writing desk; all kinds of furniture, also preserve glasses and jars. Call at 1302 Park St. S. 1313-681f

FOR SALE—Team of black horses, weight about 2400, harness, two wagons, bob sleds, 2-section drag, walking plow, 2,000 feet of lumber. Inquire 1210 East Oak St. 1321-691f

FOR SALE—House and two lots at 510 South 5th street. Also 83 acres of land in Cass county. Inquire Mrs. Gaffney, or phone 438. 1332-691f

FOR SALE—Seven room house at 1001 Oak street. Price very reasonable for quick sale. Enquire at Sundberg Shoe Shop. 1329-7012p

FOR SALE—Modern home on North Fifth street. Owner leaving the city. Makes it necessary to sell. Also summer cottage on Squaw Point, Gull Lake, Howard W. Kitchen. 1328-701f

FOR SALE—Seven room house with 4 lots, large barn, ice house, chicken-coop, large shade trees, fruit trees, well water, near mill school and paper mill. Also electric stove, never been used. Call at A. J. Johnson, 824 Whiteley Ave. N. E. 1314-681f

FOR SALE, OR TRADE, for used Ford automobile, small house, hardwood floors, barn, city water, cement cellar, lot corner Ash Ave. and Mill street. Tributary to shops or mill; \$575, terms. Nettleton. 1333-701f

## MISCELLANEOUS

FOUND—Lady's hat. Identity, pay ad. Dispatch. 1345-681f

WANTED—Steel garage. Call 144, John Troutman. 1217-501f

HORSES BOUGHT, sold or exchanged. Always have from 10 to 15 head on hand. Jones & Horton. 886-2931f

WANTED—Three modern unfurnished rooms by middle aged couple. C. Bruhn, 213 2nd St. N. Phone 334-R. 1311-681f

WANTED—To buy scrap iron. Bring in while prices high. Also all kinds junk. Jones & Horton, Hay Market. 761-2731f

WANTED to hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 1080-7-6-20, 8-3-17, 9-7-21

WANTED—To buy small barn or house that could be made into small dwelling. Address XX, Brainerd Dispatch office. 1327-701f

HAVE YOUR TRUNK and baggage delivered by auto drag truck service. Headquarters Purity Ice Cream Co., 414 S. 6th street. Phones N. W. 727, Automatic 7046. Delos Turner. 856-288-1mc

LOST—On Merrifield road between Merrifield and Hubert, one demountable rim with Goodyear tire. Finder please bring same to Dispatch office for reward. Lost on Tuesday afternoon between 5 and 6 o'clock. 1312-681f

## Hurrah! How's This

Cincinnati authority says corns dry up and lift out with fingers.

Hospital records show that every time you cut a corn you invite lockjaw or blood poison, which is needless. Says a Cincinnati authority, who tells you that a quarter ounce of a drug called freezone can be obtained at little cost from the drug store but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You simply apply a few drops of freezone on a tender, aching corn and soreness is instantly relieved. Shortly the entire corn can be lifted out, root and all, without pain.

This drug is sticky but dries at once and is claimed to just shrivel up any corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin.

If your wife wears high heels she will be glad to know of this.

## NEGRO SOLDIERS INDULGE IN RIOT

Trouble Follows Arrest of Two of Their Number.

## TWELVE WHITE MEN KILLED

Dead Include Civilians, Police Officers and National Guardsmen—Over a Score of Persons, Men, Women and Children, Wounded—Number of Negroes Slain Unknown.

Houston, Tex., Aug. 24.—Twelve white men, civilians, police officers and national guardsmen were killed and more than a score of persons, men, women and children, were wounded in an outbreak here of negro soldiers of the Twenty-fourth United States infantry, stationed here to act as guards during the construction of Camp Logan, at which the Illinois national guard will train.

It is not known how many negroes are dead. Captain J. W. Mattes, A battery, Second Illinois field artillery, was among the dead, being killed when he tried to remonstrate with the negro soldiers.

The outbreak is supposed to have originated in a difficulty which two negro soldiers had with police officers who arrested them for disturbing the peace and sent them to the police station.

### Ambulance Starts Trouble.

The firing began when an ambulance started through the section occupied by the negro soldiers. They stopped the ambulance and, firing a volley, killed it. It was this volley that wounded a sixteen-year-old white girl standing in her father's store.

Police reserves were sent out and were met by volleys from the negroes. Civilians went to the assistance of the police officers and firing continued for an hour and a half.

It is believed that several bodies will be found in the parrie around the negro soldiers' camp.

There were several hundred Texas guardsmen here ready to entrain for training camp, but they had no guns. A battery of the coast artillery was rushed to Houston in motor trucks.

Two mounted policemen, Ora O. Rainey and Rufe Daniels, were killed. Another policeman, Henry J. Melinko, also was slain.

## JAPS CALL ON PRESIDENT

Head of Mission Brings Autograph Letter From Emperor.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Viscount Ishii, special ambassador and head of Japan's mission to the United States, presented his credentials to President Wilson and with them an autograph letter from his emperor congratulating the president and the people of the United States on their decision to enter the war against Germany.

The ambassador recalled seeing American and Japanese colors waving together at the relief of Peking in 1900 and told the president it was a source of pride to every Japanese that the United States now is fighting with Japan for a safe and enduring peace based on "respect for the smallest and weakest of states; on contempt for the arrogance of materialistic force; on reverence for the pledged word."

Viscount Ishii and the members of his mission were the guests of the president at a state dinner in the White House.

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 PEOPLE IN BERLIN MAY NOT TAKE BATHS SOON.  
 Amsterdam, Aug. 24.—Berlin newspapers received here say the Berlin municipal authorities intend to prohibit persons bathing in their homes. The step will be taken, it is added, to save water and fuel.  
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## HOUSE PASSES RESOLUTION

Votes to Impeach Ferguson of Texas.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 24.—The Texas house of representatives, by a vote of 82 to 51, adopted a resolution to present to the senate articles of impeachment against Governor James E. Ferguson.

A committee of nine was appointed immediately to draw up articles of impeachment and report the articles to the house. The action was taken as a result of the investigation of thirteen charges filed by Speaker F. O. Fuller against the governor alleging illegal acts in office.

### La Follette Loses Fight.

Washington, Aug. 24.—After debate, embittered by charges that those desiring to make the war unpopular and embarrass the administration were behind the movement greatly to increase tax rates in the war tax bill, the senate rejected, 58 to 21, Senator La Follette's amendment to raise \$658,184,000 from individuals' incomes instead of \$490,164,000 as proposed in the bill.

## BARON MONCHEUR.

Head of Belgian Mission, Now Ready to Quit U. S.



The Belgian war commission officially has come to an end. Baron Moncheur, head of the mission, announces that a few days will be spent in New York in an unofficial capacity.

## ALLIED OFFENSIVE IS COSTLY TO GERMANS

London, Aug. 24.—The allies' great offensive, unceasingly boring ahead, has already cost the Germans and Austrians close to 100,000 men in dead and wounded and at least 21,000 prisoners on the British, French and Italian fronts.

Germany is starting an offensive of her own against the Russian lines. The drive has already gained ground on the Riga front.

The British theory is that the German war chiefs, apprehensive of a loss of public morale because of the enormous losses and forced giving away on the Western and Italian fronts, have started a military move which they will use to keep other front news subordinated.

The Russian army's weakness in munitions and supplies permits a relatively small force of well organized Germans to make a strong impression against them.

## INDUSTRY WILL SHUT DOWN

Pacific Northwest Lumber Mills and Logging Camps to Close.

Seattle, Aug. 24.—Announcement was made by the organized lumber manufacturers of a continued and practically unanimous shutdown of all the Pacific Northwest lumber mills and logging camps for at least four months, or until after the beginning of 1918.

The lumber operators made it clear that the shutdown of the mills and companies was not due to the strike, which has seriously affected the lumber output for several months, but rather was the result of "a slump in the market." The statement points out that it is not the intention to close down the shingle mills.

## REPROGLOE ACCEPTS PLACE

Takes Charge of Buying Steel for United States and Allies.

New York, Aug. 24.—J. Leonard Replogle, head of the Wharton Steel company here, has been asked to take charge of steel buying for the United States government and its allies. It was announced here, and has accepted the appointment.

Mr. Replogle, it was said at his office, left at once for Washington to meet Bernard M. Baruch of the war industries board, through whom the appointment was made, and to confer with him in regard to his duties.

Mr. Replogle, who is forty-one years old, also is president of the American Vanadium company.

## DATE ERROR IS RECTIFIED

Colonel Roosevelt Will Speak in St. Paul Sept. 28.

St. Paul, Aug. 24.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt will speak in St. Paul Sept. 28, instead of Aug. 28, as previously announced.

J. A. Caswell, director of the speakers' bureau of the Loyalty Lyceum, received a telegram from Charles Moos, who secured Colonel Roosevelt's promise to speak in Minnesota, explaining through a stenographer's error the previous message gave the date incorrectly. Mr. Caswell immediately arranged for the St. Paul Auditorium for the later date.

## PASTOR TO BE INTERNED

Nebraskan Ordered Taken to Fort Riley for Duration of War.

Omaha, Aug. 24.—United States Marshal Flynn received orders to take Rev. William G. Krauleidis, pastor of the Lutheran church at Riverdale, Neb., to Fort Riley, Kan., for internment during the war.

Krauleidis has been held in the Grand Island jail for several weeks on the charge of disloyalty.

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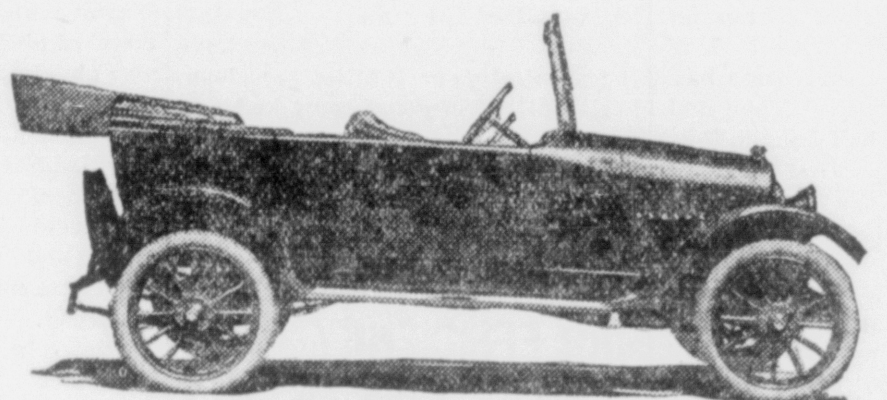
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## GERMAN RAIDER IS SUNK

Goes Down Fighting in Battle With British Warship.

An Atlantic Port, Aug. 24.—The German raider See Adler, which created terror in South American waters last winter, has been sunk, according to members of a British steamship's crew here.

The German raider, they said, went down fighting hard, after a battle with a British warship. Only a few of her men were saved.

The ship which brought the news is said to have had twelve members of the See Adler's crew aboard.

## Probate Notice

State of Minnesota, county of Crow Wing, in probate court.

In the matter of the estate of Lydia C. Weitzel, decedent.

The state of Minnesota to all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Joseph Weitzel, being duly filed in this court, representing that Lydia C. Weitzel, then a resident of Canuck, Province of Saskatchewan, Canada, died on the 13th day of August, 1917, and left property in the county of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters Testamentary be issued thereon to Joseph Weitzel, now therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the probate court rooms in the court house, in City of Brainerd, county of Crow Wing, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of September, 1917, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable, J. T. Sanborn, judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 16th day of August, 1917.

J. T. SANBORN,

(Court Seal) Judge.  
 SWANSON & SWANSON,  
 Attorneys for Petitioner,  
 Brainerd, Minnesota.

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